| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
|---|---|---|---|
| 26 | Orissa | 1 | 0 |
| 27 | Pondicherry | 0 | 0 |
| 28 | Punjab | 0 | 0 |
| 29 | Rajasthan | 2 | 1 |
| 30 | Sikkim | 0 | 0 |
| 31 | Tamil Nadu | 1 | 1 |
| 32 | Tripura | 0 | 0 |
| 33 | Uttar Pradesh | 8 | 3 |
| 34 | Uttarakhand | 6 | 5 |
| 36 | West Bengal | 1 | 0 |
| | TOTAL: | 64 | 31 |

**Appointment of Directors in IIMs**

†2808. SHRIMATI SUSHMA SWARAJ: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the applications for appointment to the posts of Director in Indian Institute of Management, Ahmedabad, Bangalore and Kolkata, have been invited by Central Government;

(b) whether it is the first time that the selection procedure for the appointment of Director is being interviewed as such;

(c) if so, whether this would not amount to breach of autonomy of Indian Institutes of Management; and

(d) whether prior approval of Chairman of Indian Institute of Management is necessary for appointment to the post of Director?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI D. PURANDESWARI): (a) to (d) Applications have been invited for appointment to the posts of Director in Indian Institutes of Management at Ahmedabad, Bangalore and Kolkata. There has been no change in the established procedure of selection of the Director. The Directors of Indian Institutes of Management (IIMs) are appointed by the Appointments Committee of the Cabinet (ACC) on the basis of recommendation of a Search-cum-Selection Committee constituted for this purpose. The Chairman of the Board of Governors (BOG) of the concerned Indian Institute of Management is invariably a member of Search-cum-Selection Committee.

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.